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Title: Fluids Valves of High Simplicity in Connecting Conduits

**AMENDMENT C**

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Response responds to the Office Action mailed March 15, 2006.

An automatic three month extension of time to respond, up to and including September 15, 2006, is respectfully requested. The requisite fee accompanies this Response.